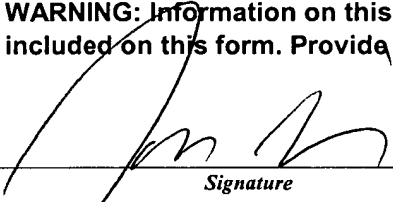
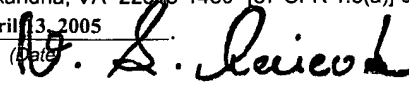


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| <b>TRANSMITTAL LETTER</b><br>(General - Patent Pending)   |                               |                        |  | Docket No.<br>99-063   |                          |
| In Re Application Of: <b>RAY S. WALKER et al.</b>   |                               |                        |  |                        |                          |
| Application No.<br>09/540,035   | Filing Date<br>March 31, 2000 | Examiner<br>F. Poinvil | Customer No.<br>22927  | Group Art Unit<br>3628 | Confirmation No.<br>2466 |
| Title:<br><b>RETAIL SYSTEM FOR SELLING PRODUCTS BASED ON<br/>A FLEXIBLE PRODUCT DESCRIPTION</b>   |                               |                        |  |                        |                          |
| <u>COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</u>  |                               |                        |  |                        |                          |
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**COMBINED AMENDMENT & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF  
TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Small Entity)**

Docket No.  
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In Re Application Of: JAMES S. WALKER ET AL.

Application No. 09/540,035 Filing Date March 31, 2000 Examiner F. Poinvil Customer No. 22927 Group Art Unit 3628 Confirmation No. 2466

Invention:

**RETAIL SYSTEM FOR SELLING PRODUCTS BASED ON  
A FLEXIBLE PRODUCT DESCRIPTION**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of February 24, 2005 in the above-identified application.  
*Date*

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☒ One month ☐ Two months ☐ Three months ☐ Four months ☐ Five months

from: March 24, 2005

*Date*

until: April 24, 2005

*Date*

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

The fee for the amendment and extension of time has been calculated as shown below:

**CLAIMS AS AMENDED**

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| TOTAL CLAIMS                                  | 19 -                                | 45 =                        | 0                              | x \$25.00  | \$0.00            |
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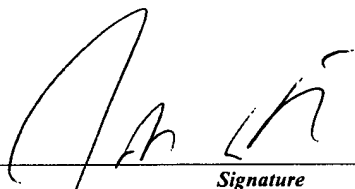
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